



HOWARD COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT
CITIZENS' ADVISORY COUNCIL
Wednesday, April 19, 2017

The Citizens' Advisory Council meeting commenced at 7:30 p.m. at the Northern District Community Room at Police Headquarters.

Present: Larry Aaronson, Thomas C. Beach III, William Brockett, Larry Buehler, Sandy Cederbaum, Johnny Cipolla, Lesley Flaim, Britany Geger, Andrew Hall Sr, Eileen Harrity, Linda Lee Hickerson, Adia Moore, Peter Newman, Stephen Pidliskey, Timothy Pierce, Raghid Shourbaji, Susan Watkins, Camela Williams, Nollie Wood Jr, Chief Gary Gardner, Lieutenant Tanya Riffle

Absent/Excused: Janet Bahouth, Vivian Bailey, Kimberly Harrity, Barb Mueller, Dr. Lewis Saunders, Gary Weinberg

Guests: Rev. Janelle Bruce, Debbie Costley, Jeff Kulik

Chairperson – Ms. Lesley Flaim

- Opened the meeting and reminded the Council that the meeting was being recorded.
- March minutes approved as distributed and posted on the HCPD website.

Chief's Report – Chief Gary Gardner

- **Body Worn Cameras**
 - Policy in final stages
 - 2 vendors have been selected to work on the pilot program
- **Central District Station**
 - Met with Harpers Choice community regarding location
- **Award Ceremony** - Thank you to those from the CAC for attending
- **Fallen Heroes Memorial Ceremony** on Thursday May 4th at 11:30 at Northern District
- **Coffee with a Cop** on May 4th 9-11 at the Little French Market in Old Ellicott City
- **Police Academy 41 Graduation** on Thursday, April 27th at 6pm at Bridgeway
- **Retirement**
 - Sgt. Mark Shiplett in Automated Enforcement at the end of May
- **Academy Class**
 - A lateral police academy class may run later in May.
 - A new class may run in early 2018 depending on the number of retirements
 - A few fire investigators were approved by the General Assembly to attend a full police academy class in 2018



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- **Crime Report and opioid heroin epidemic update**
- **Immigration policy** discussed

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- The 25th anniversary of the CAC
 - Subcommittee will be in contact to put together ideas to share at the next meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 8:47 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for May 17th at 7:30 p.m. in the Northern District Community Room at Police Headquarters.

Approved:LF